

JUNE 26, 2017

Greetings,

First, I want to thank you for your support in this past election. I look forward to continuing all of our great work in District 1. I also want to formally congratulate and welcome Mayor Nirenberg and our 2017-2019 City Council. We have some fresh faces and plenty of



brilliant minds on Council, and I cannot wait to get to work on our FY2018 Budget.

The City Council will not meet in the month of July, and will be working towards drafting the budget for the fiscal year 2018. I want to hear what your priorities are for the upcoming budget season. Please email me with your priorities so that I can be a stronger advocate for District 1's needs.

One of the new Council's first actions was to formally support the Paris Agreement via the Mayors National Climate Action Agenda. This is a big step forward for San Antonio, however, we must remember that this is only the beginning. We as a city will need to move forward together and take steps to make San Antonio more sustainable.

Please have a fun and safe summer!

Yours in service,

Roberto C. Treviño City Councilman

Neighborhood News

Beacon Hill NCD:

Last week, the amendments to the Beacon Hill Neighborhood Conservation District were approved by the City Council. I want to thank the Beacon Hill Neighborhood Association and neighborhood leaders, City of San Antonio staff, and my Zoning Coordinator, Chrissy McCain, for their collaborative effort on this important issue. I look forward continuing our work to preserve and improve our great District 1 neighborhoods.



Nathan Historic District:

District 1 is glad to recognize the new Nathan Historic District (NHD). Nestled between the San Antonio Riverwalk and the San Pedro Creek, just west of the Guenther House and Pioneer Mill (see map)you will find the NHD. Many of the Victorian and Queen Anne-styled homes were built during the railroad boom, and today, 40% of the properties within th NHD are designated as Historic Landmarks.

I want to thank the residents and my staff for working together to bring this designation to fruition.

<u> Alley Maintenance:</u>

Please note recent changes have been made to the City's overall Alley Maintenance Program. In order to address the large need for alley improvements throughout the city, TCI in coordination with Solid Waste Management (SWMD) has changed the type of improvement that will be made to the remaining alleys within this program. TCI will no longer be constructing concrete alleys and will be utilizing an asphalt application for all future alley improvements. By implementing this change, TCI will be able to:

- Increase the amount of alleys that are improved annually
- Reduce number of years it would take to address all garbage service

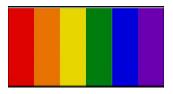
alleys; from 19 years to 8 years

- Allow SAWS and CPS easier access to address utility repairs or upgrades
- Reduce the amount of time of alley closures during construction
- Minimize the suspension of alley garbage collection.

If you have any questions, concerns or need special accommodations you may contact Armando Salazar, Alley Maintenance Supervisor at 206-8474 during regular business hours (T-F between 8am-5pm). After regular business hours or weekends you may direct your calls to 210-207-8462.

San Antonio's First Pride Crosswalk Coming to District 1

In honor of Pride Month 2017, District 1 City Councilman Roberto Treviño has submitted a Council Consideration Request (CCR) to create a "pridethemed rainbow crosswalk" at the intersection of North Main and Evergreen - one block from the finish



line for next month's "Pride Bigger Than Texas" Pride Parade and Festival. This crosswalk is part of a concentrated effort to improve pedestrian infrastructure across District 1.

"I am extremely proud that this significant piece may be placed within a visible location at the intersection of so many great neighborhoods," said Councilman Treviño. "As elected officials, we should be tenacious in our efforts to look for and create opportunities to connect our many great communities together through basic services like crosswalks."

Councilmembers Saldaña, Sandoval, Shaw, and Pelaez signed Treviño's CCR for the Pride crosswalk, which will now head to Governance Committee before going before the City Council. Similar crosswalk installations can be found in cities like Houston, Atlanta, Los Angeles, Seattle, Philadelphia, and San Francisco.

Treviño said he is grateful for the immediate support of his new council colleagues, and he looks forward to working with each and every council members over the next two years.

Click here to read more at TPR.org.

Second Loo Coming to Lions Field

The first Loo, near the Torch of Friendship, has performed better than expected since being installed. In less than a year, the Loo has experienced over 40,000 flushes and has help cut public urination/defecation citations in half.

City staff has recommended the installation of a second Loo at Lions Field as part of the 2012 Bond package for Brackenridge Park. The Loo's durability combined with its cost effectiveness makes it a better fit than port-o-potties or constructing an entire bathroom facility. The Loo is a hybrid and will run on solar and electricity.



The restroom is expected to be fully operational by the end of August.

<u>Please click here to read more about the Loo's performance in the Rivard Report.</u>

Charter Review Commission Update

The Citizen Charter Review Commission held their final public input meeting last week. The Commission will meet in several open meetings throughout July to deliberate potential changes to the Charter before providing the City Council with their recommendations in August.

If you have any questions about the any of the proposed changes or the process itself, then please contact Chrissy McCain at Chrissy.McCain@sanantonio.gov.

Please click here to visit the Charter Review Commission webpage.

Welcome Demonte & Tracy!

We would like to welcome two new faces in District 1 - Demonte Alexander

and Tracy Rees.

Demonte's role will be Deputy Chief of Staff, and he will assist with community outreach and coordination. He is a father, an avid golfer, and deeply involved in the community.

Tracy is a not so new face. She brings plenty of experience after working as the Executive Secretary for several former District 1 Council members. She is extremely kind and is excited to be back in District 1.

We look forward to the positive impact they will have around the office.

Helpful Tips & Links

Casa Verde:

The SaveNow Casa Verde Weatherization Program from CPS Energy helps income-qualifying homeowners and renters save money. If your home qualifies, you could receive free energy efficiency upgrades from professional contractors. An average of \$5,000 in upgrades such as wall and attic insulation, solar screens, weather stripping and more are provided at no cost to you. Plus, the improved efficiency of your home will reduce your energy bill!

To learn more call us at (210) 353-CASA (2272) or visit cpsenergy.com/casaverde.

Summertime Tips for Pets:

- Fresh water and shelter should always be available.
- Pets most at risk from overheating include: young, elderly or overweight
- pets, those with a short muzzle or those with thick or dark colored coats.
- Mind your pets around water-most pets are not natural swimmers and any pet can easily tire and drown.



 Shade offers little to no protection on a sunny day and cracking the window "a little bit" does very little to reduce the temperature inside a

- parked car. It takes only ten minutes for the interior of a car to reach 102 degrees on an average 85 degree day and in thirty minutes, that temperature can reach 120 degrees.
- Symptoms of heat stress include excessive thirst, heavy panting, glazed eyes, vomiting, restlessness, lethargy, fever, dizziness, a rapid heartbeat, profuse drooling or salivating and unconsciousness.
- If an animal does show signs of heat stress, gradually lower their body temperature and get them to a vet immediately.

EXTRAS

Comprehensive Plan E-mail Sign Up
San Pedro Creek Update
Comprehensive Plan Input Form
Sustainability Plan Notification Sign Up
Transportation Plan Notification Sign Up
Utility Assistance Form
Code Enforcement
Solid Waste Management Department
RAIDS Online

EVENTS

City Council Special Session Agenda - June 28th

Planning Commission Agenda - June 28th

<u>City Council A-Session Agenda - June 29th</u>



Alameda Theater Community Meeting

The City of San Antonio invites the public to attend a community meeting to discuss the conceptual plan and programming ideas for restoration of the historic Alameda Theater

June 27, 2017 | 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Culture Commons, in the Plaza de Armas Building, 115 Plaza de Armas Free parking available in the City Hall Annex Lot, 506 Dolorosa

For more information, visit www.sanantonio.gov/ccdo



This Weekend at SAPL

Free fun at San Antonio Public Library branches June 30 - July 2!

System Wide News

Landa Branch Library Temporarily Closed for Restorations and Renovation Landa Branch Library (233 Bushnell Ave., 78212) Monday, June 5 – Wednesday, September 20

The Landa branch will be closed starting Monday, June 5. The book drop and playground will remain open. Holds listed for pickup at Landa will be available at the Tobin Branch Library at Oakwell during the closure. We apologize for any inconvenience and invite you to visit these nearby locations: Central Library, San Pedro Branch Library, or Tobin Branch Library at Oakwell.

District News

Painting Classes

Westfall Branch Library (6111 Rosedale Ct., 78201)

Friday, June 30

2 – 3:15 p.m.

Please join us and learn how to paint and relieve stress while making a nice painting for your home or office.

Central Cinema Summer Film Series: Dance off, Bro Presents: Fame Central Branch Library (600 Soledad St., 78205)

Sunday, July 2

2 p.m

Please join us for the viewing of Fame, a chronicle of the lives of several teenagers who attend a New York high school for students gifted in the performing arts.





You're invited to a

TOWN HALL **MEETING**

to hear EPIcenter CEO Kimberly Britton share the latest on the plans to renovate and activate the 100 year old Mission Road Power Plant. See the early designs and drawings from Lake Flato Architects. Join us for popcorn, pretzels, soda & beer.



JULY 10, 2017 6:30 PM

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